

GILMORE A. DARROW

1891—Born August 24, at O'Fallon, Ill.

1897-1900—Attended public school and high school.

1906-1907—Central High School, St. Louis, Mo.

1909-1911—School at Southern, Ill. Normal school at Carbondale, Ill.

1911-1912—Taught school at Carbondale, Ill.

1912-1914—Worked for F. W. Westworth at Belleville, Ill. Went to work in store No. 56 at St. Joseph, Mo., February, 1914, to February, 1916, for S. S. Kresge Co.

1916-1918—Was transferred to store No. 63 at Kansas City.

1917—June 17, was married to Miss Ruth Davis of St. Joseph, Mo.

1918-1920—In February took charge of Atchison store No. 126. Most important event while in Atchison was arrival of a baby son, Billy Gilmore, May 18, 1918.

MARSTON A. JOHNSTON

1889—Born November 2. Attended public and high school until father's death in 1900.

1900-1909—Ran father's business until it failed in 1909.

1909-1910—Worked for Marshall Field & Co., wholesale, but couldn't make a living for mother and sisters, so resigned and went to Lansing, Mich., working for State Dairy & Food Department.

1910—No prospects in view, so went to Detroit to work for S. S. Kresge Co., No. 1. Couldn't make enough to live on, so resigned and was office manager of Motion Picture Co., until it failed in 1914.

1914—Back at Kresge's at No. 74, Ann Arbor, Mich.

1915-1916—Transferred in April to No. 103, Jackson, Mich. Married in April.

Soon became manager of No. 126, Atchison, Kan., and remained there until Feb. 1918. On tour again at No. 63 until July.

1918—July, given management of No. 127, Leavenworth, Kan.

1920—Still at No. 127.